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FIRST PLISCODA TO BE OCTOBER 29

Barnswallows Ask For Subscriptions to Membership Before Pay Day

The Barnswallows Dramatic Association has chosen as the plays to be given at the first informal event of the season, *The Golden Doom*, by Lord Dunsany, and *Rosalynd*, by Sir James Barrie. These plays will constitute what is known as the fall *Pliscoda* and will be presented October 29, in order that membership to the organization may entitle the student to see this performance, a plan of soliciting subscriptions before Pay Day is to be initiated. Those who present their subscription blanks at the door will gain admittance free of charge, but those who have not joined the organization will be charged a fee of twenty-five cents. The membership fee of one dollar however may be paid as usual on Pay day.

Try-outs will be held during the week of October 9. Freshmen are eligible to participate in these plays, which constitute an Informal Event but will not be allowed to be in what are known as Major Events until after mid-year examinations.

The plays will be coached by the president and vice-president of the Barnswallows and will be managed by Carol Mills, '22, who has been elected by the Drama Committee as Chairman of Pliscodas for the year.

FORUM DISCUSSES PLANS FOR COMING YEAR

Albert Nock To Speak At Next Meeting

"The purpose of the Forum is to cultivate the attitude of the open mind and to promote the discussion of modern questions," said Muriel Morris, president of the Forum, at the first meeting held in Billings Hall library on Tuesday evening, October 5.

The statement of this purpose shows that the Forum aims to provide for a need often felt in college life both by the undergraduates themselves and by outsiders who have come in contact with college students. This function, which the Forum hopes to fulfill, is that of linking up the theories and facts which one learns in college with the movements and sweeping events which are actually at work in the outside world. A more penetrating and comprehensive knowledge of current events is not the only aim of the Forum discussion, however. The attitude of the open mind as an end in itself is the inevitable result of the consideration of a problem from many contested points of view. The Forum provides an excellent oppor-

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EDITH BRANDT
President of 1923

JANET WARFIELD
Vice-President of 1923

SENIORS AND JUNIORS ELECT CLASS OFFICERS

Announcements Made After Chapel End Suspense

Crowded class meetings, heated debates around the El Table and a [illegible] feeling of excitement in the senior and junior classes came to a [illegible] Saturday, October 8, when 1922 and 1923 announced their new officers. The senior elections were a conclusion to the selections of officers which began in the spring with the choice of Nancy Toll and Lucille Barrett as president and vice-president.

The sophomore class will finish its balloting for officers this week.

The senior's officers are:

President, Nancy Toll
Vice-President, Lucille Barrett
Recording Secretary, Sarah Conant
Corresponding Sec., Elizabeth Fleming
Treasurer, Harriet Kirkham
Factotums, Helen Crandell
Dorothy Dukes
Exec. Board, Shirley Smith
Dorothy Muzzey
Madeleine Pritzlaff
Debating Member, Muriel Morris

The new officers elected by the junior class are:

President, Edith Brandt
Vice-President, Janet Warfield
Recording Secretary, Josephine Brown
Corresponding Sec., Elizabeth Ehrhart
Treasurer, Helene Bixby
Factotums, Madeline Block
Victoria Mial
Exec. Board, Elizabeth Abbot
Lorraine Combs
Esther Rolfe
Song Leader, Carolyn James

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SOPHOMORES SING TO THE FRESHMEN

1925 With Crimson Hats and Lanterns Serenade Village

The thrill that comes once to all freshmen swept the ranks of '25 Saturday night, October 8, when in accordance with long-established tradition, the sophomores marched through the streets with lanterns aglow, to serenade their younger sisters.

Although a cold, rainy turn to the weather in the late afternoon threatened to make a postponement necessary, the sky cleared enough by evening for the affair to take place. Headed by an automobile, from which Mary Fox, '24, led the singing, the sophomores moved down the streets in close formation. At a distance their crimson lanterns seemed to bob about in the dusk like will-o'-the-wisps, and it was easy to imagine them a crowd of hobgoblins trooping down upon the expectant onlookers. Each sophomore was dressed in white with a hat and ribbons of crimson crepe paper, and carried a lighted lantern of the same color which [illegible] at all warmth.

The line formed at the Zoological [illegible] and before [illegible] the campus serenade [illegible] Tenantion. The first stop on the line of march was at Bellair Road, where the serenade was formally launched. Pro-

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FIELD DAY TO BE HELD ON OCTOBER 29

New Athletic Point System To Be Inaugurated

Ida Webber, '23, this year's manager of Field Day, has announced that the date for that event is set for Saturday, October 29. The sports will begin promptly at 1:30 P. M. after the usual preliminary parade of the classes, and the singing of class songs. The stunts, which are to be a surprise, are still in the hands of a committee headed by the president of the senior class.

W's and class numerals will be awarded and will form an important feature of the day. Under the new system, in which the points needed run into the hundreds and even the thousands, honors in sports will be regarded with even more admiration than heretofore. On Field Day this new system will be inaugurated.

The main object of Field Day is to encourage sportsmanship, health and spirit. It is the goal to be reached after a time spent in hard work, intensive training and eager anticipation, the day of days for the teams, when there is an honest matching of skill.

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VIEWS OF SISTER COLLEGE SHOWN AT BARN

Miss Pendleton and Miss Thompson Tell Experiences

The proverbial "jam" crowded into the Barn on Friday evening, October 7, to hear Miss Pendleton and Miss Thompson tell of their experiences in China, and to see moving pictures of both China and Wellesley. Miss Pendleton gave an account of her visit to our sister college, Yen Ching, and, for the benefit of the freshmen, related the history of the founding of that college. She illustrated her account of her trip by a series of beautiful slides, many of which were colored. One picture which especially interested the audience was a picture of the Yen Ching chaperon who wore trousers. Miss Pendleton explained that in China our custom is reversed inasmuch as the men wear skirts and the women, trousers.

When the impersonation of the Alice Freeman Palmer Memorial was thrown on the screen, Miss Pendleton yielded her place as speaker to Miss Seal Thompson, who has recently returned from doing a wonderful work in China. Miss Thompson stated that she was just in her second year of her work there and so she was lecturing. "For," she said, 'the first year one is there, she writes a book; the second, she consents to lecture; the third, she will mention the subject in conversation; and the fourth, she maintains a discreet silence, being under the 'spell of China.'"

As soon as she reached China, Miss Thompson confessed, she changed her name, not however in the customary fashion, but by taking a translation of her name into Chinese.

These and many other interesting stories were told, but the account of China was not all humorous, for the pictures of the great famine and the events of the Fourth of July when many girls were injured in their attempt to raise money to continue their college work were full of pathos. The horror of the pictures of the famine and the story of the intense suffering were unforgettably vivid.

These foreign scenes were followed by the moving pictures which were taken in Wellesley last year. These pictures were taken with a view to being shown at the various Wellesley clubs throughout the country for the benefit of the Fund and had never before been shown to the college. Scenes from all the major events of the year, such as Commencement Day, May Day, Winter Carnival, and Tree Day, as well as a series of pictures representing a day in the life of a Wellesley student, were flashed upon the screen. These were met with uproarious applause and none too modest cheers. Faces of popular instructors and well known students brought forth loud exclamations and clapping.

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Alumnae Notes

Alumnae and former students are urged to co-operate in making this department interesting, by sending all notices promptly to Alumnae Office, Wellesley (College) Mass.

ENGAGED

'17 Helen F. McMillan to Royal S. Steiner, Beloit '15, of Wauwatosa, Wis.

'21 Margaret F. Brickner to Paul Benjamin Franklin, Cornell '20, of New York City.

MARRIED

'10 Alice Carey to Herbert John Watt, September 24. At home: 218 Park Ave., Tacoma Park, Md.

'15 Dorothy Good to Thomas Butt, in the summer. At home: Winbourne Farm, Dimock, Pa.

'15 Alpha Sue Penn to Dr. Charles Albert Blind, September 22, at Waxahachie, Texas. At home: 4-15 W. Marvin Ave., Waxahachie, Texas.

'15 Helen T. Field to Andrew B. Sides, October 1, at West Somerville, Mass. At home: 36 Barnard Ave., Watertown, Mass.

'16 Priscilla Allen to Ellis Dwinnell Slater, October 8, at Kenilworth, Ill.

'18 Ruth Candlin to Lester I. Pitt, July 9. At home: 66 West St., Worcester, Mass.

'19 Elizabeth Ringle King to Lee Bogart Morey, September 24, at King's Mills, Ohio.

'19 Susan C. Hall to George Monroe Chamberlain, August 31, at Eldridge, N. Y. At home: Eldridge, N. Y.

'21 Willis Russell Munger to Charles Bunting Shaeffer, August 27, at Kansas City, Mo.

'21 Amelia J. De Wolf to Frank E. Davis, September 2.

BORN

'06 To Edna Moore McIntyre, a son, Alan Bridgeman, September 23.

'06 To Theresa Murrell Burton, a daughter, Elizabeth Murrell, September 24.

'07 To May Stark Proeger, a son, Louis Walter, Jr., March 25.

'12 to Katharine Bingham Fisher, a daughter, Elizabeth Ann, June 15.

'18 To Dorothy Onthank Fortin, a daughter, Ann Patricia, July 8.

'19 To Lina Podoloff Derecktor, a son, Robert Edward, September 12, in Meriden, Conn.

DIED

'80 Mr. James H. Newton, husband of Emily Norcross Newton, September 21, at Holyoke, Mass.

ex '93 Mr. Alick Sargent Hill, husband of Beatrice Codwise Hill, August 31, at Coventry, England.

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION HOLDS MEETING

History of Women's Education Reviewed

The sixth annual meeting of the Wellesley College Teachers' Association was held Saturday, October 8th, at Wellesley College. A group of nearly thirty members and guests met at 12.30 in the small dining-room of Tower Court for a festive buffet lunch, with Miss Tufts and Miss McGregor, heads of Tower Court, graciously presiding at the table.

At two o'clock the Business Meeting opened with an appeal from Miss Helen S. Hughes, of the Department of English Composition, to teachers of English present. She stated that in the collection of material for a paper on the relation of the work in English of the first two years of College to the secondary school work, she would be grateful for suggestions sent to her on the following questions:—1) What is the effect of the present college entrance examinations on the teaching of English? 2) Is there repetition or overlapping between High School and elementary College English? 3) Does the Freshman composition course continue adequately the elementary course? 4) What value may there be in a survey course in literature? 5) What can be said of the reading habits of the students?

The regular business of the meeting was then introduced. Mr. Norton of the Department of Education had prepared an interesting exhibit of photographs of documents relating to the history of education of women. The work done by the Committee on interesting undergraduates in teaching as a profession was outlined in a report read by Miss Mary Sawyer. A letter was read from one of the younger Wellesley teachers who had been particularly interested in the attempt to "secure equal pay for women for equal service," an attempt which failed in its particular time and place, but which it was hoped might lead to more determined and organized effort in the future and in more places.

The election of officers resulted in the re-election of Miss Bertha Bailey, 1st Vice-President, and of Miss Prudence E. Thomas, Treasurer.

To the Open Meeting of the Association members of the Senior and Junior classes who expect to teach had been invited, and between forty and fifty were present.

Miss Mary W. Sawyer, Dean of Girls at the Brookline High School, spoke of the multitude of duties which such an officer is expected to perform, and the unlimited possibility of service in social and administrative as well as academic lines. Miss Charlotte H. Conant of the Walnut Hill School, Natick, spoke of her gratification as a teacher of the classics, in one result among her pupils of the changed requirement in Latin for admission to certain colleges. Some of her most interested classical students took advantage of the reduction from a four-point to a three-point requirement in Latin to offer for admission to College three points in Latin and to give the time that would have been necessary for the fourth point to beginning Greek, intending to continue both Latin and Greek in College. Miss Harriet Tuell, of the Somerville High School, spoke on the "socialized recitation." Miss Vera Hemenway, of the Framingham High School, gave an interesting account of an experience

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among
the homeless hounds i
admit they could get
along
better by themselves
but it was
such an opportunity to see
the world
don't you know
and let me tell you
the
conditions made me doggone glad
to get back
though the u s is dry
as a bone
why the number of mongrels
is overwhelming of
course i
investigated conditions from
a litter-ary point
of view and though
cur-iosity killed a cat
i discovered that
a pedigree is now an
object
of scorn all
authorities being of
the heinz school
well i always held that civilization
was the result of good
litter-ature
so i came back to
assist it
anyway what are
f p a and
don marquis and
chris morley
compared to
adonais
pooh

VARSITY TEAM DAUNTLESS AS USUAL

[In view of the fact that the NEWS takes great pride in its advance notices, and also in consideration of the fact that the public takes equal delight in them, we have ventured to reprint a clipping from the NEWS of next November 11.]

The All-English Team has been reputed to play entirely in the air, having on one occasion been known to dribble the ball seventeen times in succession at waist level. Yet so deeply has this remarkable story been impressed upon the hockey players of our Alma Mater that no pains have been spared to increase the speed, agility, aim, strength, endurance, and mid-air playing capacity of our Wellesley girls. Ordinary training has given way to ice showers, two hours of speechless rest daily, bed the rest of the time, and a diet of water and cheese. As for the Academic, it has been loyally sacrificed for the glory and eternal fame of the college to the extent of flunking out all the hockey players immediately after the game. But what matters it? Thin as a rail, strong as a horse, wide awake as an owl, swift as a pestilence, agile as a gazelle, and enduring as everything, the 'Varsity hockey player has left in her trail a new chapter in the annals of Wellesley prestige. The fact that a group of hockey players in one college in America can easily outstrip the best players in all England is as nothing compared to the fact that in one short month such remarkable preparation has taken place as to make this possible. To improve the team play of a certain group in a short time is not an impossible task provided the correct measures are taken; but to change a game so completely as to remove it from the natural ground on which it is played in order to make of it a mid-air game, played entirely at shoulder level, is well-nigh impossible. Yet this has been done. Where the Wellesley girls previously played on the ground, the English girls played at waist-level. Now hockey at Wellesley is played at the shoulder with perfect assurance. It is small wonder that England looks upon the United States with a quizzical eye of late.

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A GAME OF BRIDGE

The Grey Book, comprehensive though it is, lacks regulations concerning card playing. The tidal wave of bridge playing which has recently swept over the country has naturally affected Wellesley and has brought forth for discussion the question of playing with men in the living rooms of the dormitories.

At the present time, no ruling of the student body exists and decisions are left to the discretion of the individual Head-of-House, who, because of precedent, is likely to refuse permission.

If it is the wish of the students to have a definite statement concerning card playing, it is their privilege under Student Government to bring the matter to the attention of the House of Representatives. Arguments on both sides of the question are apparent and should be voiced. But they should be placed before the proper authorities and should not be circulated in an undercurrent of dissatisfaction through the college.

The present uncertainty in the status of card playing with men may be easily clarified if the students will but take the initiative and express the will of the majority in definite legislation.

"WORDS WITHOUT DEEDS"

"All the news that's fit to print" may be an applicable slogan for daily papers. Up to the present, however, this has not been the policy of the NEWS. We have endeavoured earnestly to make our paper a successful combination of that which the college does and that which the college thinks, and, as a medium for the latter, have instituted an individualistic editorial section, namely, the Free Press Column. To all appearances this has been a success. It has found favor with NEWS readers who not only peruse and discuss it with interest but also contribute freely to it, and, needless to add, were it suddenly expurgated, much comment and the irrefragible voice of public opinion would hasten its reinstallment.

Whether or not it has been an actual success, however, depends less on its popularity than on its ability to institute the reforms suggested therein. To ennumerate the many demands which are frequently repeated would be a waste of space and a bore. We all realize that the questions of Monday chapel, of the quality of bag lunches, of card playing in the dormitories and of the less material matters, such as appreciation of college, use of slang, destructive criticism, college spirit and so on are frequently recurring subjects for Free Press. Much talk and effusion of words and very few practical changes have been the outcome of these discussions and this seems to us no fault of the NEWS. Although they are two of the most prominent Free Press items, the question of Monday chapel or dormitory card playing have never, to our knowledge, been brought up in that home of reforms, the House of Representatives. Nor has the language of the members of college and other much discussed deficiencies been improved. We can but print and preach and it is up to her who reads as she runs to practice.

FREE PRESS COLUMN

BRIDGE THE GAP!

"You may walk to Natick and then back again,
And walk around the campus until almost ten."

Thus sang the Glee Club a year or so ago. Today, we not only "may" walk, but we must. Even our circuit tours between Pond Road and the Hunnewell playgrounds are no more. Of an evening, in fair weather or foul, we are forced to walk. Now, on a beautiful night, the opportunities may appear to the untrained to be multitudinous. But the lake shores are thronged, the waters of the lake swarm with canoes vainly seeking seclusion, a trip to the village or about the campus is not everlasting.

In cold or rainy weather even the walking is impossible: we are reduced to sitting in the drawing room, with numerous other distraught couples, endeavoring to be entertaining and happy. The result is a gap between our expectations and desires for the evening, and our satisfaction when nine-forty-five comes.

One stormy evening two couples had a game of bridge, and enjoyed the evening immensely. Bridge is a harmless and very absorbing and interesting game, and one which everybody, nowadays, enjoys. The next day Authority said: "Students must not play cards with men in dormitories." "But there is no rule in the Gray Book," protested the girls. "No; but you must not play," was the ultimatum.

Against this arbitrary ruling we protest. Give us, at least, the justice of a rule. But, we pray, give us the liberty to play bridge in the evening, for walking is monotonous, and sitting unutterably deadly. Bridge the gap!

1922.

"LAUGH WHERE WE MUST, BE CANDID WHERE WE CAN; BUT VINDICATE THE WAYS OF GOD TO MAN."

Every Fifth Avenue bus in New York City now has on each side a big placard with "Civility" printed on it. We all know how the courtesy of Boston far exceeds that of New York. Many of us in Wellesley forget that we are living nearer Boston. "To be candid"—the impoliteness, the lack of courtesy, the unmannerly manners, and, it is undisguisable, the general lack of breeding displayed on Wellesley's campus has come to such a point that each one of us ought to look to herself and mind her "P's and Q's" as she has never done before. Wellesley is being put on the map, and who cares to advertise girls who haven't enough sense of respect to stand up instead of "shoving over" when a member of the faculty, or an older person, walks up the steps into the Great Hall of Tower Court; girls who can't be quiet when such a visitor as Mrs. Frame kindly gives us a few minutes of her time at the C. A. reception; girls who keep up an incessant hub-bub even after a forceful reminder?

Common courtesy should not have to be a prissy and wearisome formality. We learn in Zoölogy that we can have acquired characteristics. Perhaps the same department can assist us and produce them for us before a seminar course in manners becomes a necessity for a B.A. degree. D. U., '22.

HOUSES ELECT NEW REPRESENTATIVES

Members of Each Class Chosen for House of Representatives

Representatives to the House from each class were chosen in the dormitories last week. The list of those elected is as follows:

Beebe
Caroline Moench, '22.
Elizabeth Round, '23.
Lois Twigger, '24.

Cazenove
Mildred Miles, '22
Constance Fritz, '23
Laura Powers, '24.

Claflin
Sarah Conant, '22
Blanche Schlivek, '23
Constance Towner, '24

Fiske
Elizabeth Badge, '22
Carolyn Ladd, '23
Jean Lyon, '24

Freeman
Josephine Barbour, '22
Helen Burtt, '23
Helen Osborn, '24

Norumbega
Grace Osgood, '22
Adeline Aldrich, '23
Hope Harris, '24

Pomeroy
Genevieve Marcell, '22
Margaret Leavitt, '23
Mary Draper, '24

Stone
Dorothy Stevens, '22
Margery Metheny, '23
Ellen Page, '24

Tower Court
Helen Chain, '22
Elizabeth Milne, '23
Virginia English, '24

Wilder
Elizabeth Knowlton, '22
Isabel Shindel, '23
Helen Atkinson, '24

Wood
Harriet Ralston, '22
Marjorie Bartholomew, '23
Laliah Curry, '24

Birches
Elizabeth Johnson, '24

Crofton
Carolyn Robinson, '24

Homestead
Mary Thompson, '24

The list from Shafer is not complete, because that dormitory voted late, but will be published in next week's issue.

TEACHERS' ASSO. MEETING

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with a class in English Literature, which was largely composed of young students in a commercial course, who had never read books outside of school requirements. Miss Mary Haskell, of the Cambridge-Haskell School, spoke of the interesting new kinds of work done in secondary schools, and the valuable results of the exchange of information and experience in her visits to various schools especially in New England and the Middle West. Miss Mary Grace Caldwell, teacher of Latin at Dana Hall, spoke of the inevitable changes in the school situation since examinations were required of all students for entrance to College, and asked the help of all present in the observation of these and in the spread of information as to requirements in general, in order to prevent the many mistakes and omissions that occur in a student's preparation. Miss Caldwell asked the undergraduates, many of whom may go into schools not definitely preparatory to College, and may have students whose awakened interest may lead to a desire to go to an Eastern College, first to familiarize themselves with the requirements of the Eastern Colleges, and then to help to spread information, for general intelligence is needed, and information must start with the teacher.

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CALIFORNIA WELLESLEY CLUB PRESENTS PAGEANT FOR WELLESLEY

Ruth Bolgiano Takes Leading Part

The Wellesley Club of Southern California has recently presented a pageant for the benefit of the Fund, illustrating the spirit of Wellesley. This pageant holds especial interest for students now in college because one of the leading characters was impersonated by Miss Ruth Bolgiano, '20, who instituted the new barn plan under which the plays are being given this year.

The pageant represented the experiences of the Earth Maiden from the time that she was a care-free elf, playing with the spirits of Mirth and Frolic, until the day of her awakening to the real beauty of knowledge when sought through work, study and application. The final episode was a tableau of the Alice Freeman Palmer Memorial Tablet in the college chapel. The music throughout was furnished by the courtesy of the Women's Symphony Orchestra of Los Angeles.

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PRESIDENT PENDLETON HOLDS RECEPTION AT TOWER COURT

Miss Waite and Miss Tufts Assist in Receiving

Miss Pendleton gave her annual reception at Tower Court, Monday evening, October 10, for the new members of the faculty.

A novel feature in connection with the President's reception this year was the entertaining at dinner of members of the Board of Trustees. Miss Tufts as hostess welcomed a group of ten at Tower Court, while Mrs. Ward was hostess for another group at the Guest House. The reception for new members of the Faculty was held as usual in the Great Hall at Tower Court and Miss Pendleton was assisted in receiving by Miss Waite and Miss Tufts.

NOTICE

The managers of the Wellesley College Semi-Centennial Fund ask that all payments of pledges be sent to the Comptroller's Office, Room 28, Administration Building, Wellesley College.

SOPHOMORES SING TO FRESHMEN

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ceeding to Leighton district, the house of Dean Waite next received their attention. Freshmen were congregated in front of Eliot from nearby houses, which responded each in turn to the clever songs of the sophomore composers. The sophomores acknowledged these greetings with lifted lanterns and cheers of satisfaction.

As the parade moved along, the number of spectators increased, and freshmen, trailing in the rear, swelled the ranks. Soon persistent cheers were heard from a small but energetic group of seniors, and a general dispersal did not occur until the line had sung at Washington House.

JAPANESE STUDENT WRITES OF COSMOPOLITAN CLUB

Matsuyo Takizawa, '23, Enlists Aid of American Students

It was early in last spring that the cosmopolitan spirit in Wellesley sent forth its sprout for the first time with the name of the Cosmopolitan Club of Wellesley. Since then, the sprout has grown to be a twig, and now all its fond cultivators have come to feel that they ought to have some sort of systematic way by which they can best take care of the twig. So they came together one evening and made out a guide book, which they ceremoniously called a constitution. This constitution has been sent to the Academic Council to be approved. And if it is sent back to us safe and sound, we are going to begin the regular procedure of the cultivation of our twig.

The fruit we want to get from our tree is real understanding and friendship among the students of all nationalities. This we do by exchanging our thoughts and knowledge based on our respective national backgrounds, and by having all kinds of fun together. Of course all the foreign students are members; but in addition to them, we want to have a number of American students to make the Club really cosmopolitan. And to crown it all we are going to ask a number of members of the faculty to be either honorary or associate members of the Club.

When the tree becomes as large as this, we naturally need special gardeners whom we recently elected as follows: President, Hei-wan Yu[illegible], vice-president, Ruth Dean; secretary, Matsuyo Takizawa; treasurer, Harriette Camp.

We are especially anxious to have those American students who are interested in foreign matters. So if they apply for membership to Matsuyo Takizawa, Pomeroy Hall, they will find a most cordial welcome, for we count on them as much as on the foreign students for the full development of the tree. Let us see how beautiful the tree will grow and how abundant the fruit will be!

Matsuyo Takizawa.

FORUM DISCUSSES PLANS FOR COMING YEAR

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tunity for testing the frailty or strength of one's pet theories, especially those favorite ones concerning the way in which the world should be run after one's graduation.

The questions of limited membership and of outside speakers were discussed at the meeting, but not decided upon. One point, however, was made very clear. Membership in the future is to be by application, not by invitation. All those who are interested in the work of the Forum are heartily invited to apply, and can give their names to Erma Bell, the secretary of the Forum.

Muriel Morris announced at the close of the meeting that the Forum had been fortunate enough to secure Mr. Albert Jay Nock as the speaker for the next meeting, which is to be held in Billings Hall on Thursday evening, October 20, at 7.30 P. M. Mr. Nock is an editor of the *Freeman*, and was formerly an editor of the New York *Nation*. He will speak on the subject, *What is Liberalism?* The meeting will not be limited to members of the Forum, but will be open to all those who are interested in the subject.

The following class and faculty representatives were elected to constitute the membership committee:

Faculty—Miss Amy Kelly.
1922—Gertrude Kessel.
1923—Elizabeth Sanford.
1924—Augusta Wagner.

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EXECUTIVES DESCRIBE EXTENSIVE WORK OF C. A.

Departments Are Shown To Be Efficiently Organized

To explain what the Christian Association is trying to do here on the Wellesley Campus, and as a part of a larger organization, was the purpose of its meeting Wednesday evening, October 8.

Margaret Hoogs, '23, the member of the C. A. board whose duty it is to keep us in touch with the rest of the Y. W. C. A., explained the national organization of the association, and our duty to it. She stressed the point that we must not think of C. A. as our own little affair, but as a branch of the national one, whose symbol, the blue triangle, should stand for recreation, inspiration, and education.

The chairman of the General Aid Committee, Mary Fraser, '23, then described the service which her committee does. Its main purpose is to find jobs for girls and girls for jobs. This year, is will also oversee a Christmas Bazaar, in place of the Campus Exchange and Tea Room of last year.

The Extension Committee was defined by Carol Rhodes, '23, as the Home Missionary department. It is made up of six separate branches. There is a committee in charge of the convalescent hospital at Wellesley Hills, another in charge of the maids' classes and socials, one in charge of the maids' circulating library. A fourth oversees getting clothes and supplies for Aunt Dinah Pace, and a fifth has the care of the Morgan Memorial. The sixth division of this committee is the Consumers' League, which is carried on in connection with Miss Wiggin of the Consumers' League in Boston.

Margaret Eddy, '22, spoke of the industrial work that the Wellesley Christian Association gives an opportunity for doing.

Miss Wilson, chairman of the World Fellowship department, told a little of what we are doing outside Wellesley, in a material way. This included the enumeration of some of the more important uses to which the service fund is put. A certain part of the money is devoted to educational institutions in this country, such as the Pine Mt. Settlement and the Billings Polytechnic Institute in Montana. Various amounts are devoted to social and relief work, both in the United States and abroad, to national child welfare, and, this year, the students of Europe will receive a share.

Members of C. A. are apt to wonder where their dues go, and what they do. The General Secretary's salary, the many speakers, the expense for the week of prayer, all these and many more must be paid by these dues, which, as Elizabeth Abbott, '23, explained, amount to far too little.

Miss Kendrick, who is in charge of the religious meetings of the Christian Association gave the three purposes of such meetings. Sometimes they are called to gather the whole association together; sometimes for the discussion of great things; and sometimes for prayer and worship.

Emily Gordon, president of C. A., concluded the speaking by saying that her aim is to make of the association a live organization and a real influence in the college.

FIELD DAY, OCTOBER 29

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Everyone is urged, with a hearty appeal, to come to the field on the appointed day at the appointed hour, and make Field Day an even bigger success than it has been before. The teams need the coöperation and support of the whole college, and all who can should support them to the limit. The day of intercollegiate athletics is, perhaps, not so far off on the horizon of the future, and every minute of the present should be utilized in preparing for it.

SOTHERN AND MARLOWE AT BOSTON OPERA HOUSE

The theatre attraction of the present wek at the Boston Opera House should interest every college student, especially those who are taking courses in Elizabethan literature. Shakespearean drama, and the like. E. H. Sothern and Julia Marlowe are always masterly in their presentation of Shakespearean roles, and with the opportunities given them by the classic *Merchant of Venice* and *Taming of the Shrew*, prove an inspiration to any student. The former play is scheduled for Thursday, Friday, and Saturday evenings; the latter has but the matinee on Saturday, October 15, to run. This is the next to the last week of the company in Boston.

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GENERAL AID HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

Margaret Davidson, '16, Speaks On Salesmanship

The feature of the annual General Aid Meeting held Friday in Room 124 Founder's Hall was an informal talk on "Salesmanship," given by Margaret Davidson, '16, of the Employment Department of Jordan Marsh's. Miss Davidson explained the principles of good salesmanship, and particularly of the psychology on which it is based. Her talk dealt chiefly with agencies, and the practical opportunity for earning, which they offer.

At the close of the meeting Miss Conant, the General Secretary, spoke of the various agencies which may be applied for at the Christian Association Office. An opportunity was also given those who wished to do so, to sign up for work with the department during the coming year.

The new bill form, which has been adopted by the committee, was shown. By the new plan, if the bill is not paid within thirty days, 10% of the account rendered will be added. It was also announced that the prices for General Aid work had been raised, to accord with the standard of the Women's Industrial Union, in Boston. The list of new prices follows:

Taking Care of Children:
- When asleep 30c per hour
- When awake 40c per hour

Household Work:
- Cooking 40c per hour
- Waitress 35c per hour
- Dishwashing 30c per hour
- Heavy cleaning 40c per hour
- Light cleaning and dusting 30c per hour
- Sewing and mending 30c per hour
- Pressing 30c per hour
- Laundry Work 40c per hour

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Office Work, etc.:
- General Assisting in office 25c per hour
- Typing 50-70c per hour
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Boston Speakers Will Tell of Opportunities at Wellesley Mass Meeting

The Inter Collegiate Service Association will begin its work for this year with an all-college mass meeting on October 21, at which speakers from Boston will tell of the settlements and clinics where Wellesley girls can work in their free afternoons. The girls of other colleges have gone into community service in a splendid way. It is up to Wellesley tc maintain the Intercollegiate standard. The I. C. S. A. is "intercollegiate" because the idea is being liberated in more than twenty colleges by some four thousand undergraduate members; in two score schools by the girls of sub-chapters; by thousands of alumnae in big cities and little out-of-the-way places. It is a "community" project because it is bigger than college; because it is any place at any time; because acceptance of membership implies concern for the common welfare. It is a matter of "service" because no one is exempt from it; because the greater the privilege the greater the obligation; because every one needs practice in the give and take of it. Finally, it is an "association" because it is team-play that wins the game.

ALL-COLLEGE RANKING TOURNEY

A permanent ranking list is to be established for all members of the college who enjoy tennis, not merely for those who take it as a sport.

The list will be posted on the tennis board, permanently. One's position on the list can be bettered by challenging one of the five players immediately above, on the list.

Those desiring to rank on the list must place their name and class in the tennis box below. Members of tennis as sport will *ipso facto* be placed on the roll.

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CALENDAR

Friday, October 14

7.30 P. M. Billings Hall. Address by Mr. Thomas Whittemore. Subject: The Russia of Today and the Salvaging of the Intellectual Class.

Saturday, October 15.

Evening, Freshman Serenade.

Sunday, October 16

11.00 A. M. Houghton Memorial Chapel. Preacher, Rev. Edward M. Noyes of Newton Center.

7.30. Vesper service. Address by Miss Emily Balch on "The Women's International League for Peace and Freedom."

Tuesday, October 18

4.40 P. M. Room 124 Founders. Poet's reading. Miss Caroline Hazard, former president of Wellesley College.

Wednesday, October 19

7.20-8.00 P. M. Houghton Memorial Chapel. Service of Intercession led by Professor Vida Dutton Scudder.

COLLEGE NOTES

Elizabeth Benton, ex-'23, has entered Smith College this fall.

The delegates to Silver Bay met with the Christian Associatioin Board on Tuesday evening, October 11, at Agora. Before the meeting the Silver Bay girls had supper on the lake.

Swimming is popular on the list of Wellesley sports. A new float out from the shore adds to the enjoyment of those who do not find the water too cold. It is expected that it will be possible to go in for another week.

The Deutscher Verein, open to all sophomores, juniors and seniors who have or are taking courses in German and who are interested in the work of the department, held its opening meeting Friday evening, October 7.

Girls from both Michigan and Pennsylvania had the opportunity to meet and get acquainted Wednesday evening, October 12, at the pit-parties given for both these districts.

Both artistic and illuminating is the large painting of poison ivy and woodbine which was placed in the Bulletin Board room by the request of Doctor Raymond. The purpose of this placard is to prevent the spread of the poison from the ivy by distinguishing between the two vines.

All members of crew gathered at a pit party given Thursday night, October 6.

The old girls at Stone welcomed the new at a party given the evening of October 6, when various stunts furnished entertainment to the guests.

The News Board spent the week end on a shore party at Whitney Homestead, Nahant.

Miss Pendleton entertained the daughters of Missionaries to China, and the Chinese students of the college at a tea Sunday afternoon, at the President's House.

LIBRARY PUBLISHES NEW HANDBOOK

Pamphlet Contains Valuable Information and Suggestions

The Wellesley College Library has recently published a handbook containing much valuable and interesting information about the history and use of the Library. The Library Staff is anxious that every student have one of these booklets, which are now on sale at the Library and at the Bookstore. The price of each is ten cents, an amount which represents only a fraction of the cost of publication.

This handbook contains a brief history of the Library from the time it was first opened in College Hall in 1875 to the present day when Wellesley has about 95,000 bound volumes. A plan of the building, a thorough description of the location and function of each room, as well as interesting information concerning the works of art that are found in the Library are included in the pamphlet. There is also a detailed explanation of the proper way to find books and periodicals, directions for the use of card catalogues and suggestions for the careful handling of books.

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